Remarks/Arguments

Claims 1-18 remain in the application.

Claims 1, 3, 4, 6-8, 11, 13, and 15-18 have been amended.

Claim Objections

The claims are objected to because of informalities.

Applicant would like to thank the Examiner for an excellent quality of the examination provided.

The claims are amended to provide appropriate correction of the informalities in accordance with the Examiner's suggestions.

Claim Rejections – 35 USC § 112

Claims 1 and 18 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112 as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter. Applicant has amended the term "an other than DC component" to "time varying component" as the invention relates to the removal of time varying power supply effects within the conversion circuit.

Applicant would like to thank the examiner for the indication that some of the claims are allowable. These claims will be redrafted in independent form should that become necessary.

No new matter has been added in the amended claims.

Applicant looks forward to favourable reconsideration of the above noted application.

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